

GRADUATE LEGAL INTERN AGREEMENT

I _____ agree to comply with the requirements imposed by the Indiana Supreme Court Admission and Discipline Rule 2.1

Admission and Discipline Rule 2.1 Legal Interns (as it pertains to the graduate)

Section 1. Requirements

- (b) A law school graduate may serve as a legal intern when the following requirements are met.
1. The law graduate has received a first professional degree in law from a school accredited pursuant to Admission and Discipline Rule 13(V)(A);
 2. The law graduate is eligible to take the Bar examination under Admission and Discipline Rule 13V; and
 3. The law graduate has received permission from an attorney who is a member of the Bar of this State to serve as a legal intern under the attorney's direct supervision.

Section 2. Length of Intern Status

- (b) A law school graduate may serve as a legal intern from the date of graduation until the graduate has taken and has been notified of the results of the first examination for which the graduate is eligible under Admission and Discipline Rule 13V, or if successful on that examination, until the first opportunity thereafter for formal admission to the Bar of Indiana.

Section 3. Certification

- (a) The Dean of a law school sponsoring a legal intern program shall advise the Indiana Supreme Court Board of Law Examiners of those students who qualify to be legal interns and the length of that internship.
- (b) An Attorney, who is a member of the Bar of this State and who wishes to sponsor and supervise a graduate as a legal intern, shall so advise the Indiana Supreme Court Board of Law Examiners; and also, the Dean of the law school from which the graduate received the first professional degree in law shall advise the Indiana Supreme Court Board of Law Examiners of the date of graduation and the date at which such graduate will be first eligible for examination under Admission and Discipline Rule 13V.

Section 4. Scope of Conduct

A legal intern may interview, advise, negotiate for, and represent parties in any judicial or administrative proceeding in this State, provided all activities undertaken are supervised and approved by an attorney who is a member of the Bar of this State. A legal intern shall inform each client of his or her intern status, and that the intern is not a licensed attorney. A legal intern shall not interview any person represented by an attorney without the express permission of such attorney. In no event may a person (including private corporations) be charged for the services of a legal intern acting in a representative capacity. The personal presence of a supervising attorney is required in any proceeding in open court.

I certify that:

___ 1. I graduated on _____ date from _____ school

___ 2. I will be taking the first bar exam given after graduation; that will be July or February
(circle one)

___ 3. I have read Admission and Discipline Rule 2.1 and the Rules of Professional Conduct and I agree to abide by them.

Student Name (Printed) _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

Student Signature _____ Date _____

GRADUATE LEGAL INTERN: SUPERVISING ATTORNEY

I _____ a member Bar of the State of
PLEASE PRINT NAME (supervising attorney)

Indiana agree to supervise the graduate legal intern activities undertaken by

_____ as required by Indiana Supreme
PLEASE PRINT NAME (graduate intern)
Court Admission and Discipline Rule 2.1 (4)

I certify that:

1. I am a member of the Bar of the State of Indiana, admitted on _____ and am
presently engaged in the practice of law Admission date

Offices located at: _____
Name of law office

Street address

City & State Zip

2. The graduate legal intern will engage in the following activities, which I will supervise:

3. I will supervise the named graduate legal intern in accordance with the requirements of
Admission and Discipline Rule 2.1 Legal Interns and Rules of Professional Conduct.

Attorney's Name (Printed) _____

Name of Firm: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

Signature _____ Date _____
Supervising Attorney